

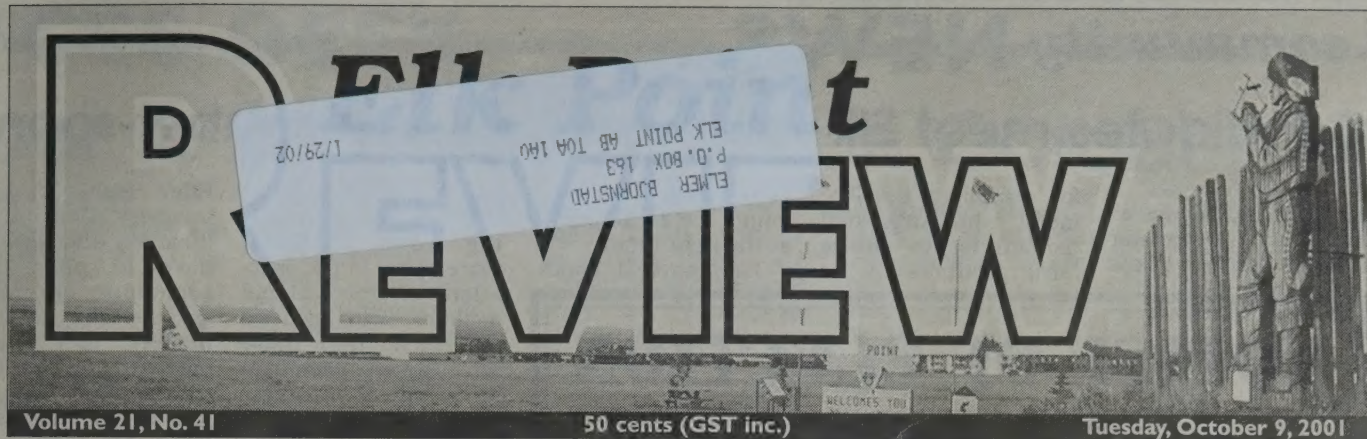
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**READY TO FIELD THE VOTERS' QUESTIONS** at last Wednesday's candidate forum were Town Council and mayoral candidates (left to right) Dwayne Vogel, Manon Joice, Kathy Riley, Bernice Capjack-Hugo, Lyle Frisby, Mae Hendrickson and Parrish Tung.

## Candidates face electors at forum

Seven of the eight candidates whose fate lies in the hands of Elk Point voters next Monday were guests of honor at a pre-election forum hosted by the Elk Point Chamber of Commerce last Wednesday evening, moderated by Chamber president Eugene Buck.

Well over a hundred residents turned out to listen as mayoral hopefuls Bernice Capjack, Mae Hendrickson and Lyle Frisby, along with Council candidates Manon Joice, Kathy Riley, Parrish Tung and Dwayne Vogel presented their platforms and answered a variety of questions. The fifth Council candidate, Dennis Jasinsky, was unable to attend the forum.

Mayor Ed Buck congratulated all the candidates. "It's nice to see so many interested in guiding our town, one of the nicest communities in northeast Alberta." A veteran member of Council during many terms dating back to 1964, he also warned

them about the time commitment necessary to serve on the municipal body. Buck also offered to volunteer his services to the new Council if they need assistance as they get underway for their first term in office. Thanking the community for all their support over the years, he urged the voters to get out to the polls on Monday, October 15.

Parrish Tung was the first Council candidate to address the crowd. "After living in Elk Point for two and a half years, I feel it is time to get involved in the community. I like to listen to people and help find solutions to problems."

Kathy Riley feels "there's a lot of potential here." In addition to fostering economic development, "we need more recreational facilities for young people. With the help of the community, it can be done."

Manon Joice has "a strong economic development plan which will lead to growth," and feels "Elk Point

is indeed a wonderful town. I believe it is time Council supported these endeavors."

Dwayne Vogel says Elk Point "has a solid foundation to build on. What we need to do now is grow." Council must work closely with the Chamber to entice new business, and recreation facilities should be a priority.

Each of the candidates for mayor's chair was asked a probing question by the moderator at the conclusion of their presentation.

Bernice Capjack-Hugo agreed with the sentiments of the Council candidates on economic development and offering more for the community's children, suggesting that there are innovative and low-cost ways to provide for the community's recreational needs. With considerable experience in long and short term planning and budgeting, her number one priority, she added, would be "to learn the job as fast as I can. I hope I can be the kind of

person it takes to be mayor."

Lyle Frisby agrees that there is a need for more businesses, and suggested communication with both local businesses and the County of St. Paul regarding economic development and recreation. He also sees the need for a landing pad for STARS Air Ambulance. Questioned regarding cost sharing, he said that as deputy chief the fire department, he has been involved in fire protection agreement negotiations and knows "a fair bit about working with the County. I do feel we can make cooperation go very smoothly. We can work together."

Mae Hendrickson has been on Council for the past nine years, which "gives me a little bit of knowledge about how the Town operates." She expressed a willingness to cooperate with the public and support development, especially of businesses which would serve the rural community

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### ■ Municipal Elections 2001

## Decision time: vote as you please, but please vote

The candidates have had their say, the advertising is done and posters dot the landscape for municipal, health authority, and in some cases, school board, elections and, for county residents, the recreational trail plebiscite. Now it's up to you. It's decision time next Monday, October 15.

### Town

For residents in the town of Elk Point, it is their first opportunity to participate in a full-scale election since 1992, and the first time ever to vote in a municipal election for young voters and for those who have arrived in the community since the last round of voting. But cheer up - you get to catch up by voting on three bal-

lots.

First, there is the may-orality race, with Bernice Capjack-Hugo, Lyle Frisby and Mae Hendrickson on the ballot. Then, for Town Council, you may make four choices from the five candidate lineup of incumbent Dennis Jasinsky, Manon Joice, Kathy Riley, Parrish Tung and Dwayne Vogel. Finally, and this vote is shared with the County of St. Paul and Frog Lake First Nations (although they have a different polling place), you may vote for John Pilipchuk or Ken Yettaw for the seat on the Lakeland Regional Health Authority.

Voting hours are from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m., and the polling stations are in the Town Council Chambers.

### County Division 1

County of St. Paul Division 1 voters have three County Council candidates to choose from: John Lypowy, George Sanders and incumbent Allen Young, as well as the two candidates for LRHA Board member, and the public trail plebiscite. Voting hours are from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. at polls located at the Heinsburg Community Centre, Windsor Club and Ferguson Flats Hall.

### Division 2

Division 2 County residents have four Council candidates on the ballot: Sharil Baumgardner, Micheal Chubey, Tom Kurek and Remi Tremblay, in addi-

tion to the LRHA and plebiscite votes. All Division 2 voters are asked to cast their ballots between 10 a.m. and 8 p.m. at the Seniors Recreation Centre in Elk Point.

### Frog Lake

Frog Lake voters wishing to vote in the LRHA Board election must cast ballots at the Seniors Recreation Centre, Elk Point, between 10 a.m. and 8 p.m.

## CN deal ready to sign

By Steven Heywood  
St. Paul Journal

CN Rail has assured a group of 10 municipalities it will take responsibility for environmental clean up of its abandoned rail line in northeast Alberta. St. Paul County Reeve Robert Bouchard says this commitment has paved the way for the final signing of a land deal between CN and the group of 10.

This Wed., Oct. 10, Bouchard says representatives of CN and all 10 municipalities are expected to sign the agreement in St. Paul.

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community NEWS

Candidates meet Elk Point voters at a Chamber-sponsored forum

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and bring farm families into town. Asked for specifics of her plans

for economic development, she suggested "something to utilize farm products. A lot could be developed if we found the right people at the right time." The mayoral candi-

dates were asked on their feelings regarding the Town becoming more active in the operation of recreational facilities, with general agreement that these have always been run by volunteer organizations, and thus saving tax dollars. Frisby said he has talked to the presidents of some of the organizations, and got ideas how they could diversify with the Town's support to "fill those buildings."

Council candidates were questioned on economic development. Manon Joice has had experience as part of a committee working on an economic development plan, while Kathy

Riley feels "if small business comes in, big business will follow. We have to offer them something and make sure we give the information they need." Parrish Tung cautioned that while it is important to get business to town, "we have to see the whole picture. As a ratepayer, I'm not willing to give too many concessions that the ratepayers will end up carrying." He also noted it is important to support businesses that are already here.

Elk Point's small volunteer base for current recreational programs could be stretched beyond its limits with increased recreation

development, one questioner noted, asking the candidates' plans for staffing recreational outlets. Dwayne Vogel "would lean toward finding corporate sponsorship to foot a lot of the bill," while Manon Joice suggested "there is cash flow available to access, and it's time for the Town to help." Kathy Riley would approach organizations to help, and says "it has to be volunteers. It doesn't have to be expensive if it's done right." Bernice Capjack-Hugo leans toward providing an outdoor skating rink for winter and a cemented area with automated sprinklers to run through in summer as low cost and not requiring much volunteer time to operate. Lyle Frisby advocates "small upgrades to existing facilities. The big thing is getting the right people to get them operating properly." Mae Hendrickson feels municipalities could work together to fund a swimming pool, and would like recreation to be run by volunteers, however, she acknowledges, "they get burned out."

Parrish Tung said "we have to be really innovative," questioned if the schools were utilized to capacity in evening hours, and suggested one large playground with lots of equipment would be more cost-effective than several with less equipment.

The evening ended with a questioner asking the candidates' thoughts on the possibility of unincorporating the town and joining with the County. All had reservations. Tung said "we would have to negotiate - it would be tough to make sure we would benefit." Mae Hendrickson felt "we could be swallowed, and what is good today might not be good tomorrow." Frisby "would have to study all the facts, short term and long term, and put it to the people." Bernice Capjack-Hugo said "if we lose our identity as a town, I don't know how it would go, but it's worth looking at." Kathy Riley "wouldn't like to see it happen, but if it did, I would like to see it only for a short term." Manon Joice felt this was going too far although she would be willing to discuss joint ventures. Dwayne Vogel was also against the move except as a last resort.

NOTICE OF ELECTION

LOCAL AUTHORITIES ELECTION ACT  
(SECTION 35, 46)



LOCAL JURISDICTION:

County of St. Paul No. 19

and

St. Paul Education Regional Div. #1

and

Lakeland Regional Health Authority

PROVINCE OF ALBERTA

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held for the filling of the following offices:

| OFFICE(S)             | # OF VACANCIES | ELECTORAL DIVISION # |
|-----------------------|----------------|----------------------|
| COUNCILLOR            | 1              | DIVISION 1           |
| COUNCILLOR            | 1              | DIVISION 2           |
| COUNCILLOR            | 1              | DIVISION 3           |
| COUNCILLOR            | 1              | DIVISION 4           |
| COUNCILLOR            | 1              | DIVISION 6           |
| SCHOOL TRUSTEE        | 1              | SUBDIVISION D        |
| L.R.H.A. BOARD MEMBER | 1              | ED-4                 |

Notice is hereby given that a vote of the electors will be held on the following:

QUESTION ON CN PUBLIC TRAIL

VOTING WILL TAKE PLACE ON

Monday, the 15th of October 2001

Between the hours of 10:00 am and 8:00 pm

VOTING STATIONS WILL BE LOCATED AT:

DIVISION 1

Heinsburg Community Centre  
Windsor Club, Riverview  
Ferguson Flats Hall

DIVISION 2

Seniors Recreation Centre -  
Elk Point (Conference Room)

DIVISION 3

St. Paul County Office  
Lac Bellevue Hall  
Stoney Lake Hall  
Seniors Recreation Centre  
Elk Point (Conference Room)

DIVISION 4

St. Paul County Office  
Lafond Community Centre

DIVISION 6

St. Brides Rec. Centre  
Ashmont Legion Hall  
St. Paul County Office

SUBDIVISION D (SCHOOL)

County Office  
Lafond Community Centre  
Lac Bellevue  
Stoney Lake  
Elk Point Seniors Rec. Centre

Question on CN Public Trail  
and  
Health Authority Board Member

Voting at all voting stations  
listed and at:

OWLSEYE HALL

ST. VINCENT HALL

BOSCOMBE COMMUNITY CENTRE

MALLAIG SENIORS DROP-IN CENTRE

ST. LINA COMMUNITY CENTRE

MCRAE RECREATION CENTRE

BOYNE LAKE HALL

Dated at the Town of St. Paul, in the Province of Alberta, this 21st day of September 2001.  
Louise Plante, Returning Officer

QUALIFICATIONS OF ELECTOR

ELECTOR-ELIGIBILITY TO VOTE: S47(1) IN PART.

A person is eligible to vote in an election if he is:

- \* at least 18 years old;
- \* a Canadian citizen;
- \* has resided in Alberta for the 6 consecutive months immediately preceding election day;
- \* a resident in the local jurisdiction on election day

RULES OF RESIDENCE S48(1) IN PART

- \* a person may have only one place of residence for the purposes of this Act;
- \* the residence of a person is the place where he lives and sleeps and to which, when he is absent, he intends to return;
- \* a person does not lose his residence by leaving his home for a temporary purpose;
- \* if a person leaves the area with the intention of making his residence elsewhere, he loses his residence within the area.

NOTICE OF ELECTION

LOCAL AUTHORITIES ELECTION ACT  
(SECTION 35,46)

LOCAL JURISDICTION:

Frog Lake First Nations No. 121 & 122  
(Puskiakiwenin I.R. 122 & Unipouheos I.E. 121)  
and

Lakeland Regional Health Authority  
PROVINCE OF ALBERTA

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held for the filling of the following offices:

\* REGIONAL HEALTH AUTHORITY  
BOARD MEMBER (1) -- ED - 4

VOTING WILL TAKE PLACE ON THE:

15th day of October, 2001

Between the hours of 10:00 am and 8:00 pm

VOTING STATION WILL BE LOCATED AT:

Seniors Recreational Centre  
(Pioneer Circle - Conference Room)  
Elk Point, AB.

LOCAL JURISDICTION:

Saddle Lake I.R. 125  
Whitefish Lake I.R. 128  
and

Lakeland Regional Health Authority  
PROVINCE OF ALBERTA

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\* REGIONAL HEALTH AUTHORITY  
BOARD MEMBER (1) -- ED - 2

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15th day of October, 2001

Between the hours of 10:00 am and 8:00 pm

VOTING STATIONS WILL BE LOCATED AT:

AYIWAKES RECREATIONAL CENTRE  
SADDLE LAKE  
WHITEFISH CULTURAL CENTRE  
WHITEFISH LAKE

Dated at the Town of St. Paul in the Province of Alberta, this 21st day of September, 2001

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# from the FCSS DESK

## Remember to cast your vote on October 15

By Deanna Easthope  
FCSS Director

To run for political office, you have got to admit, really requires a special sort of person. It is a thankless job, but really a very important job. These kind of people have to be able to read how their voters are feeling and thinking, and then the politicians have to be able to make the best decisions for the interests and protection of everyone. What a job!

I am afraid that sometimes we forget they are only people like you and I. The difference is they have decided to become involved. We are so very fortunate that citizens in our town and community of Elk Point have decided to become involved in the decision-making process of what affects where we live. Thank you, everyone, for running in this municipal election.

### Volunteer numbers drop

Getting involved reminds me of our volunteers in our community. Did you know that new statistics from the National Survey of Giving, Volunteering and Participating have

been released?

On volunteering, the following has been reported:

■ Since 1997, there has been a 13% decrease in the number of volunteers, despite an almost 2.5% increase in the Canadian population 15 years and older.

■ In 2000, 27% of Canadians aged 15 and older volunteered, a decline from 31% in 1997.

■ There has been a 9% increase in the average total hours contributed by volunteers since 1997.

■ Volunteers contributed a total of just over 1 billion hours in 2000, a decrease of 56 million hours since 1997.

From these statistics, one could conclude that less volunteers were putting in more volunteers in 2000 than they did in 1997, while not equalling the total volunteer hours volunteered in 1997. Another way of putting it is that some of the volunteering that took place in 1997 has not been repeated. No wonder the year 2001 has been proclaimed the International Year of Volunteers. It is like a reality check. We need to acknowledge and say thank you to our volunteers. They

should not be taken for granted.

Volunteering provides an opportunity to become involved in a democratic society. Volunteers can truly say, "I do what I do because I am Canadian." Likewise, to become involved in our municipal elections is

really people volunteering to do what they do because they are Canadian, and because they are Albertans, "Elk Pointians" or "County of St. Paulians". (New words - new spelling!) Some say these people show "altruism". According to the dictionary, altru-

ism means "unselfish regard for or devotion to the welfare of others."

Do you know why the people who will be listed on your ballots are running in the upcoming municipal election? Ask them. Chances are they are

doing this because they have a vested interest in the welfare of others. Our part is then to give them our vote and support. So remember to vote on Monday, October 15, 2001 for the candidate of your choice.

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**ELK POINT**

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|------------------------------------|---------------------|
| Mayor                              | 1                   |
| Councillor                         | 4                   |
| Lakeland Regional Health Authority | 1                   |

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**Monday, the 15th day  
of October, 2001**

Between the hours of 10:00 am and 8:00 pm

VOTING STATIONS WILL BE LOCATED AT:

**Town of Elk Point  
Council Chambers, 4910-50 Ave.**

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Myron Goyan, Returning Officer

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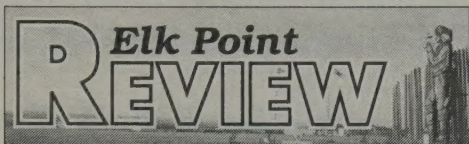
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# VIEWPOINTS

## ■ Letters to the Editor

## Decision Day minus six...

## Large turnout would aid decision makers

To the Editor:

On Sunday, Sept. 30, I thought I would try to enjoy one of the last warm days of fall. So I jumped on my mountain bike and decided to use the now abandoned rail beds. During the ride I was amazed at the fact that, although the beds are not set up as a trail yet, they were fairly easy to ride on.

During this ride, I kept thinking that not allowing this land to become a recreational trail would be a waste, however, I could not help but sympathize with the worries that adjacent land owners may have with the future use of the rail beds. If I could guarantee that all trail users will use it with respect and not encroach on the private properties, then there would be nothing to worry about. Unfortunately, the minority of disrespectful users will be the ones that will ruin it for the rest of us.

I, unfortunately do not have a solution other than tell these worried owners to give us a chance, and allow the trail system to proceed. I would like to tell all of my fellow trail users to; first of all, treat the other users with respect, and then to avoid the urge to enter on private property. Second, please slow down to a crawl or stop when meeting users that are either on foot, on bicycles or on horses.

If the proposal is allowed to proceed, people will have to work together in order to ensure that it suits the needs, concerns, and fears of everyone. To have proper signs along the trail, this to remind users to respect everyone, and to stay off adjacent lands unless allowed to do so.

In closing, I am all for the creation of a trail on the old rail beds. And I hope many people feel like me. However, in fairness, I urge everyone that can vote in the upcoming election, whether they are for or against the trail concept, to come out to vote. If a large number of people come out to vote, it will give decision makers a better picture of what to do.

Bernard Hébert  
St. Paul

## A wonderful way to view area

To the Editor:

I had the pleasure and opportunity to ride a portion of the public corridor which is in a great debate these days. I was riding a quad and there wasn't anything more relaxing than riding with friends down a safe, well marked trail knowing that I was not trespassing or infringing on someone else's property. The only complaint I had is that I didn't have my daughter with me to show her the beautiful area that we live in.

A vote of "Yes" on Oct. 15, will help guarantee that I will be able to show my daughter this and more. A "Yes" vote and working together with all concerned people will guarantee that my daughter will be able to ride by herself or with her friends on a safe organized trail. Riding the trail by quad or snowmobile will be a wonderful way to view the area, again not infringing on other people's property. I ask that all rural and urban people consider how fortunate we are to have this

ready made trail and all we have to do is work together to let it continue to be a way of travel.

Let's work together to ensure that future generations know that there will always be somewhere that they can go to see the sites and not worry about infringing on people's property. It is for now and the future that trail supporters are working so hard to achieve this goal.

Leona Bezpalko  
St. Paul

## Proud to be part of the RRTS

To the Editor:

The past few weeks have progressed to this recent climax of our rail-to-trail issue in Alberta's Lakeland region. I am proud to have been a part of the RRTS, and in a larger sense the Public Trail Supporters of N.E. Alberta efforts in this campaign. The stature and credibility of the people involved on the pro-trail side has daily given us the drive that we needed to see this project through. The forward-thinking farmers and acreage owners, all with a sense of community spirit, that have come forward to contribute (both financially and personally) to our efforts made us realize quickly that this was not a rural versus town debate. We have listened to the valid concerns and have reaffirmed our commitment to work through them. That offer stood at the beginning of the project, and will prove

itself valid after the results of the vote on Oct. 15th.

The municipal representatives involved have put much aside to bring us the intact corridor. Their concerted negotiations with CN should not be taken lightly. Nowhere in Canada has such a project been handled with such inter-municipal cooperation and diligence.

It is true that both sides have invested considerable resources into their campaign efforts. Some might consider this a waste. On a broader view however, because almost all has been invested locally, and will hopefully remain in circulation in the region, you might consider that our local economy may have taken its first small step forward from this project already.

I have to particularly thank you, the people of the region for your participation in this project. Thank you all for taking the time to

read and study and discuss the somewhat complex details of the project. And thank you in advance for stepping up to the polls to let your opinion be counted.

Clearly, the property is in continuous public ownership, and therefore it will not be broken up for individual possession or control. The YES group certainly is prepared to proceed with their offered plan upon acceptance by the voting public...that plan clearly being subject to decisions made by the municipal representatives. The bigger question, however is the NO plan, or more accurately, the apparent lack of one.

Will there be NO controls, NO safety, NO insurance, NO public benefit? What do YOU know about the NO plan? I hope it's more than I know.

Jerry Bidulock  
Riverland Recreational  
Trail Society

## Permanent routes not necessary

To the Editor:

When my husband's father bought their farm in Warwickshire, England in 1959, no information was asked, nor given, concerning the public routes across the land - it was an insignificant problem. The only people who used them were neighbors and they often helped out by giving a warning when livestock got out. By the time I moved onto the family farm in 1981, things were changing. City people were moving out into the countryside and commuting to work in the towns. They didn't seem to understand farming life - one woman who used the public routes

to exercise her dog thought that it was only "playing" with the sheep when it herded them out of the field and down the highway.

Later the laws concerning public routes were tightened up - they had to be marked out across the land; this then became the task of the landowner. It cost us in the region of \$6,000 a year to do this to the satisfaction of the authorities.

Very slowly, almost imperceptibly, new laws were introduced, such as not being able to have a dairy bull in the same field as a public route; or cost of public liability insurance rose as the numbers of people using the public routes

rose.

We suffered from our gateways being blocked by parked cars at harvest-time; people driving into our yard and parking on our lawn so they could go for a walk and so on.

There are many opportunities to walk in the countryside in Alberta - here, north of Camrose, we have a group of walkers who, liaise with all the farmers over whose land they wish to cross and they have been welcome. Permanent routes are not required to have access to the countryside.

Anne Chandler  
Camrose, AB.

## Vote as you please -- But please vote!



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## Where

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# 2

## How

Check your electoral district to find out how many candidates you will elect. In some districts you may be asked to vote for more than one candidate.

# 3

## When

Monday, October 15th, 2001 is when you cast your ballot. To hear the results of the elections after you vote, contact your health region, or tune in to your news media.

# Lakeland Health Region

The board candidates for Lakeland Health Region are:

### Electoral District 1 (1 member)

Ralph J. Fowler  
Margaret Wade

### Electoral District 2 (1 member)

Pat Palechuk  
Therese Taschuk  
Gail Zaplotinsky  
Edward Victor Zenko

### Electoral District 3 (1 member)

John Kapicki  
Steve Martin  
Nicholas (Nick) Palamarchuk  
Peter J. Zagrosh

### Electoral District 4 (1 member)

John Pilipchuk  
Ken Yettaw

### Electoral District 5 (1 member)

Allan Buck (acclaimed)

### Electoral District 6 (1 member)

Rosalie M. Bubenko  
Ernie Isley  
Ron Pernarowski

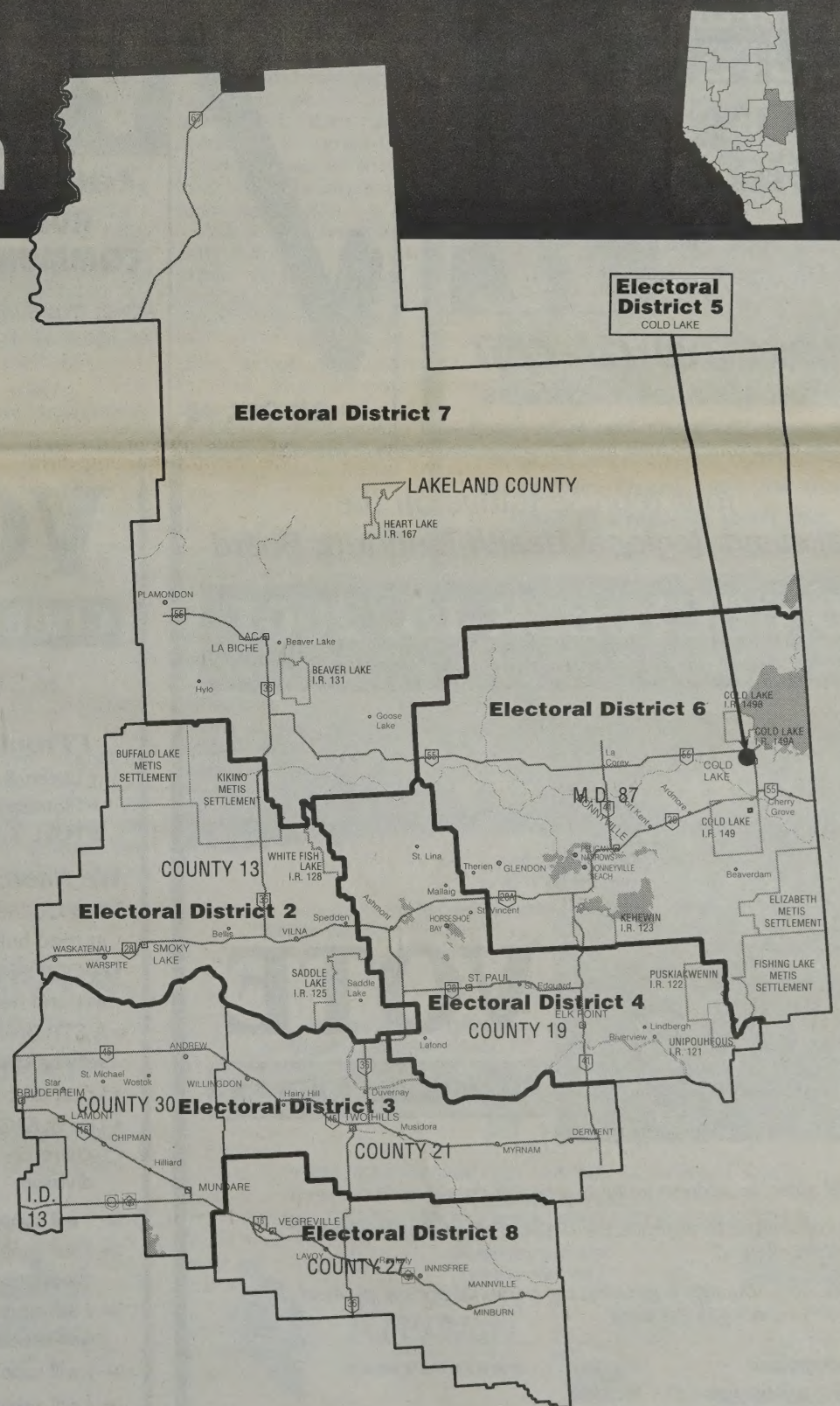
### Electoral District 7 (1 member)

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Danny Smaiel

### Electoral District 8 (1 member)

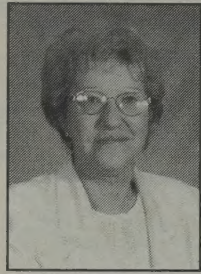
Monica Zeniuk (acclaimed)

**Electoral District 1**  
CITY OF FORT SASKATCHEWAN





# community NEWS



**VOTE FOR**  
**Bernice**  
**Capjack-Hugo**  
**as Mayor!**

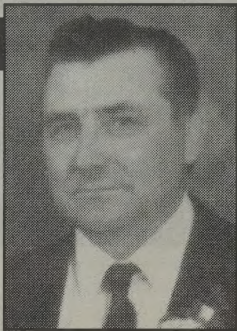
Bernice feels working together will make our community the **BEST!**

*Willing to work as a leader of the team to serve the needs of the citizens of Elk Point.*

**ON**  
**OCTOBER 15**

**VOTE**  
**TOM**  
**KUREK**

County of St. Paul  
Division 2



**Phone: (780)724-2207**  
for any questions or concerns.

## Lakeland Regional Health Authority acknowledges the worth of their volunteers

SMOKY LAKE - The Lakeland Regional Health Authority in this International Year of Volunteers 2001 would like to join with the United Nations and the world to acknowledge the invaluable service that volunteers provide.

Throughout the Lakeland Health Region, approximately 850 generous men, women and youth are working in long-term care centres, health centres, health units and in communities to bring comfort and care to individuals and their

families. This small band of dedicated individuals bring their talents, compassion, friendly faces and commitment to the well-being of others, enriching the communities they live in. Smiles of friends and neighbors to greet and help to put people at ease in a variety of settings from the Board level to one-to-one interactions with clients. The various activities that volunteers do in the region are too many to mention but each one has a definite impact and

does make a difference in terms of enhancing the health of each community.

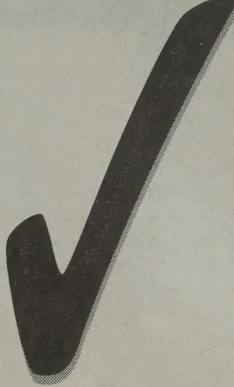
Volunteers in Lakeland have recorded an estimated 16,735 hrs. of volunteer time in the year 2000. We know there are countless hours of volunteer time that have not been recorded and this work still goes on, unnoticed, with love and kindness on a daily basis. It is estimated that these hours equal in excess of a quarter million dollars that citizens have contributed to the

Lakeland Regional Health Authority.

The motto for the International Year of Volunteers is "The Value of One. The Power of Many." The Lakeland Regional Health Authority knows this is true in terms of its volunteers. Each volunteer makes a difference and the force of combined efforts of volunteers in the region enhances the overall health of each community.

The Lakeland Regional Health Authority salutes its volunteers in 2001.

**VOTE**



**ON OCT. 15**

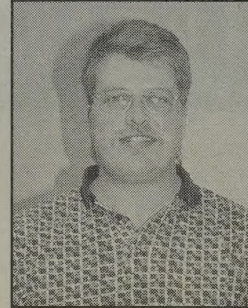
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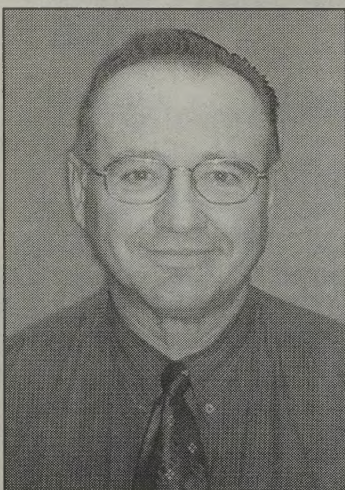
**VOTE**  
**Dwayne**  
**Vogel**

*For a positive  
future!*

*Your representative on the  
Lakeland Regional Health Authority Board*

**ON OCTOBER 15, 2001**

*for experience, commitment and sincerity*



**VOTE**

**PILIPCHUK, JOHN X**

- > Will strive to address individual health concerns in our area
- > Is committed to improve the delivery of quality services in the Lakeland
- > Will work towards improving the personal access to these health services in the area

#### Background

- Was a Town Councillor Member
- Held Deputy Mayor position
- A present member on Board of Governors of L.R.H.A. (appointed for two consecutive terms)
- A present member of Board of Governors for Portage College
- Holds positions on the Finance Committee for both Boards

**VOTE**

**CHUBEY, Mike X**

724-3128 or 645-0413



#### I Promise to:

- Listen & serve my electors
- Honestly represent my electors at council meetings
- FULL & OPEN discussion on all county spending

#### We Need:

- The County NOT to compete against local construction companies in road building & industry services
- A COMPREHENSIVE PROGRAM of repairs and upgrading of high-use and heavy traffic roads
- A STRONG LOCAL HIRING PROGRAM by oil companies and oil service companies
- Local oil companies to use LOCAL SERVICES and SUPPLIERS
- The BUDGET for division 2 to reflect the tax from Zone 2 - currently less than 10% of outgoing taxes are returned to our division
- > I will support our local service & supply companies
- > I will support our local electors to help improve working conditions and benefits
- > I will support health care and its continuous improvements for workers and patients
- > I will support our senior citizens and their issues
- > I will support our farmers, not only on a local government basis, but wherever I can be of assistance
- > I will support our local law enforcement and ambulance services
- > I will always support all minor sports
- > I will always support and represent YOU to the best of my ability



# community NEWS

## Crime Stoppers seek truck theft culprit

In the early morning hours of Thursday, September 13, 2001, unknown person or persons entered a farmyard located two miles south of Highway 640 and gained access to a truck. The truck is described as being a 1996 Ford F-150 4x4, dark green in color.

Also missing were some fencing tools.

Anyone with information is asked to call Crime Stoppers at 1-800-222-TIPS (8477) or the Elk Point RCMP Detachment at (780) 724-3829.

Crime Stoppers will pay up to \$2000 for

information leading to the arrest of the person(s) responsible for this or any other crime.

You do not have to reveal your identity and if your tip leads to an arrest you qualify for an award.

### ■ Letter to the Editor

## Against the trail since the beginning

To the Editor:

For the record, we are adjacent landowners near the Iron Horse Trail. We were also one of the adjacent landowners who were left out of the Riverland Recreational Trail Society done by Marvin Bjornstad. Had he talked to us, we would have told him that we were against the public trail from the beginning eight years ago and are still against the trail.

We have had snowmobilers come off the trail and trespass for a joy ride on our hills. They have also been lost looking for the trail and have ventured into our yard, startling the cattle while we were trying to pull a calf at calving time. These people were definitely strangers otherwise they would have stopped for a visit and it definitely was not my brothers as stated at a county meeting.

For years from the CN Gravel Pit to Lindbergh, the only sign of human activity in this valley was the train passing through once or twice a week. It is a refuge for wildlife, a place where they could live peacefully without fear of running into people. There are not many places like that left around here for a wildlife sanctu-

ary, man will not be happy until they tread on every square inch of this earth. You better enjoy the wildlife you see now on the trail, because if it becomes a multi-use trail and is well used, the wildlife will disappear.

It seems hypocritical to us that some of the main supporters of the trail do not live beside the trail and are enjoying their peace and quiet, yet they are opposed to any oil activity close to their back door because of noise and traffic.

Ask yourselves honestly, 'Would I want a public recreation trail past my front or back door?'. Most people will say, 'No'. Why, then, do you expect us to, and why are you surprised we don't?

If you don't want one on your back door, don't vote one in for us. Vote 'no'.

Thank you.  
Kevin and Debbie  
Lawrence

## NOTICE

### Lakeland REA Ltd. Annual Meeting

Saturday, October 27, 2001

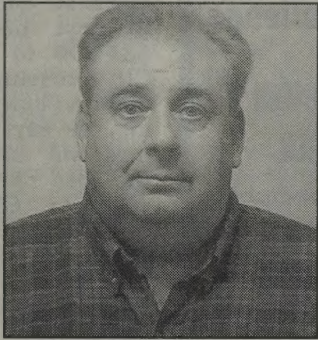
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Willingdon Recreation Centre

We hope that all Lakeland members will be able to attend. We will be electing representatives from Zone 1 (Barich), Zone 2 (Derwent) and Zone 4 (Lavoy) to sit on the board for three years at the meeting. If you have any questions, please call your local director.

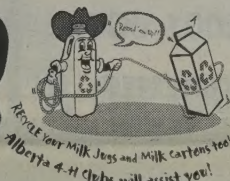
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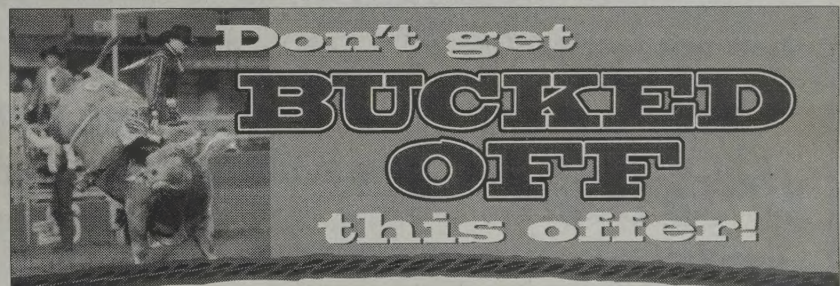
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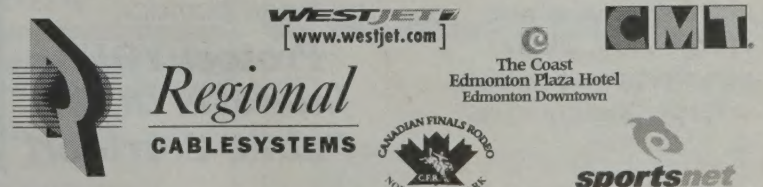
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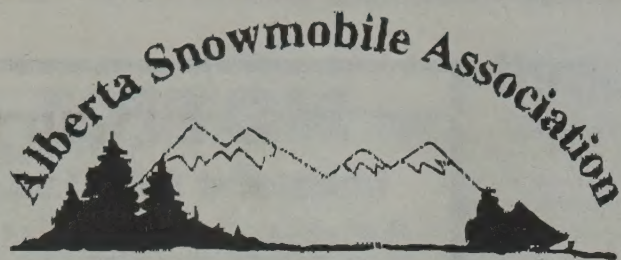
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The question of abandoned rail line use, sustainability, proper use of trails, maintenance, liability and landowner issues are of concern to the Alberta Snowmobile Association.

We are local users and many of our clubs are involved through representation in the Cold Lake Snowmobile Club, Bonnyville Snowdusters, Elk Point Trail Riders, Smoky Lake Trail Twisters, Fort Kent Path Finders and Lakeland Trailblazers of St. Paul.

All these folks and hundreds who support their mandate of safe snowmobiling deserve huge recognition for their efforts in working to see that the abandoned rail lines are used for trail in a multi-use fashion and in a safe and responsible manner.

They deserve all the help we can give them and we support their efforts.

Many areas in Canada are utilizing abandoned rail lines for trails and are managed through organizations and through members like those involved in the Riverland Recreational Trail Society. Users share a respect and love of the land and recreation is a key component of improving the health, well-being and quality of life of Albertans. Through

the promotion of safe responsible recreational snowmobiling and the Safe Trails Program, healthy families and strong communities through this recreation opportunity will surely be realized.

The Alberta Snowmobile Association (ASA) is a non-profit volunteer organization representing volunteer clubs, which operate, maintain and promote Alberta's snowmobile trail network.

The Alberta Snowmobile Association is dedicated to providing strong leadership and support to member snowmobile clubs to establish and maintain quality snowmobile trails, which are to be used in a safe and environmentally responsible manner to further the enjoyment of organized snowmobiling.

The ASA is committed to promoting safe, responsible snowmobiling in Alberta by continuously improving safety standards and delivering safety programs through proactive leadership, stakeholder partnerships, public education, driver training and trail enhancement.

The Alberta Snowmobile Association totally supports the abandoned rail lines to be used for trail in a multi use fashion in a safe and responsible manner.

## community NEWS

### CN land deal ready to be signed

(Continued from Front Page)

He adds the municipalities received assurances from CN Oct. 3 on outstanding issues that were holding up the finalization of the sale. The group of 10 - St. Paul, Cold Lake, Elk Point, Vilna, Smoky Lake, Glendon, Bonnyville, the M.D. of Bonnyville and the Counties of

St. Paul and Smoky Lake - are also expected to approve forming a Part 9 company today

(Oct. 9). Bouchard is heading that company.

"The environmental issues were substantial," Bouchard says. "And the 18 trestles on the line were a real concern."

CN is, this week, tendering out a contract to deck the trestles and put up chain line railing on every one.

"That's not in anticipation of a trail," Bouchard adds, "it's for

our own liability."

He says the work CN is doing is quite substantial, giving the Part 9 company a safe route, ready for a trail. That, Bouchard states, is dependent on the result of the Oct. 15 plebiscite, asking electors in three counties if they will support or deny trail development on the rail bed.

Because of all the work CN Rail is doing for this deal, Bouchard says ratepayers will not hit be up for extra taxes. He adds it used to cost his county \$31,000 to maintain CN crossings. With them no longer operating, he says the savings will easily offset the loss of \$8,000 a year in CN taxes. Should the route be developed into a trail, Bouchard says user groups have committed to their own signage - lifting any cost burden from taxpayers.

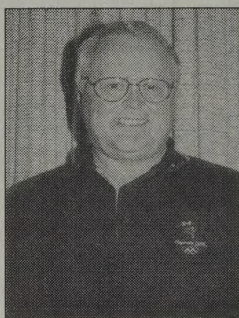
The issue of whether there will be a trail on the line is badgering Bouchard. There are many questions to be answered, and many of the solutions can only be determined after the Oct. 15 elections.

#### Ready to Take on the Challenge

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**FOR STRONG LEADERSHIP**

On October 15, 2001 VOTE:

**SANDERS, George X**



\*\*\* The abandoned railway property clearly will not be broken up into parcels for private ownership. This publicly owned continuous corridor is to be shared by all. \*\*\*

#### What do YOU know about the NO plan??

- No "NO" plan has been presented. If there is one, it has been well hidden; Why?
- Who makes the final decisions that affect you and your family in the NO plan?

**This land is already being used.**

- Who will immediately take on safety and signage?
- Who, exactly, would benefit from a NO vote?

**—?**  
In reality, a NO vote leaves us with an **uncontrolled, unorganized, unsafe, non-maintained** multi-use corridor. Does this sound good to you?

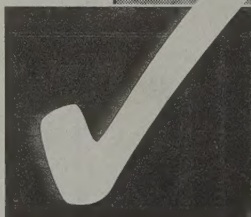
#### What do YOU know about the YES plan??

The Public Trail Supporters have openly laid out their plans to the public

- The Public plan has been openly debated, reviewed and then improved upon.
- Our municipal representatives are clearly the final decision-makers for the YES plan.
- We will continue to work together to see that this plan works ... for all stakeholders.
- It's not too late to call the Public Trail Supporters at 645-4233, 645-4429 or 826-3141

A YES vote will leave us with a **controlled, organized, safe and maintained** multi-use corridor!

**Protect YOUR interests in this Public Corridor!**



**Vote YES (on Oct. 15) for a municipally regulated trail!**





# Lakeland launches 2001 influenza campaign

SMOKY LAKE - With winter just around the corner, local residents are being reminded to get their flu shots.

The flu season usually arrives in November and lasts until spring. To protect people from the virus, Lakeland Regional Health Authority is launching its annual influenza campaign starting the week of October 15.

Flu shots are provided free of charge to anyone 65 years or older and to people with chronic health conditions who are at a greater risk of developing complications such as pneumonia following a bout of influenza.

"Our target is to vaccinate everyone over 65 years of age," said Ruth Richardson, Communicable Disease Control Specialist for the Lakeland Regional Health Authority. "It's important that seniors be vaccinated because their ability to fight off viruses and diseases decreases with age."

The vaccine is 80% effective for people in good health with strong immune systems. Healthy adults who get the vaccine spend less time away from work due to illness. Influenza vaccine is available at a minimal cost for those individuals not included in the target population.

"Coughs and colds are not the flu. Influenza is most often characterized by a high fever," said Ms Richardson. "While influenza is a respiratory disease, the whole body can be affected. Symptoms may include fever, chills, nasal congestion, cough, weak-

ness, loss of appetite and muscle aches throughout the body. Fatigue may last, in many cases, for up to two to three weeks."

Vaccination clinics will be held in various communities throughout Lakeland. In Elk Point, clinics are being held October 16, 9:30

a.m. - 3:30 p.m. and October 22, 2:00 to 8:00 p.m. at the Elk Point Seniors Centre, while in Heinsburg, a clinic will be held at the Seniors Centre on October 23 from 9:30

to 11:30 a.m., and in Fishing Lake on October 23, 1:00 to 3:00 p.m. at the Lodge. Appointments will not be necessary. Pneumococcal vaccine will also be available.

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## FLU VACCINE CLINICS

### ELK POINT AND AREA FLU CLINICS

October 16/01 - Elk Point Senior Centre,  
9:30 am to 3:30 pm  
October 22/01 - Elk Point Pioneer Senior Centre,  
2:00 to 8:00 pm  
October 23/01 - Heinsburg Senior Centre,  
9:30 to 11:30 am  
October 23/01 - Fishing Lake Lodge,  
1:00 to 3:00 pm  
October 24/01 - Derwent Golden Age Centre,  
1:00 to 3:00 pm

Flu season is here again and it's time to protect yourself from that nasty bug! In addition to the flu vaccine, the Elk Point Health Unit will be offering pneumococcal vaccine to individuals 65 and older and to those with specific medical conditions. The above vaccines will be offered at the above locations and dates.

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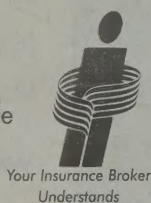


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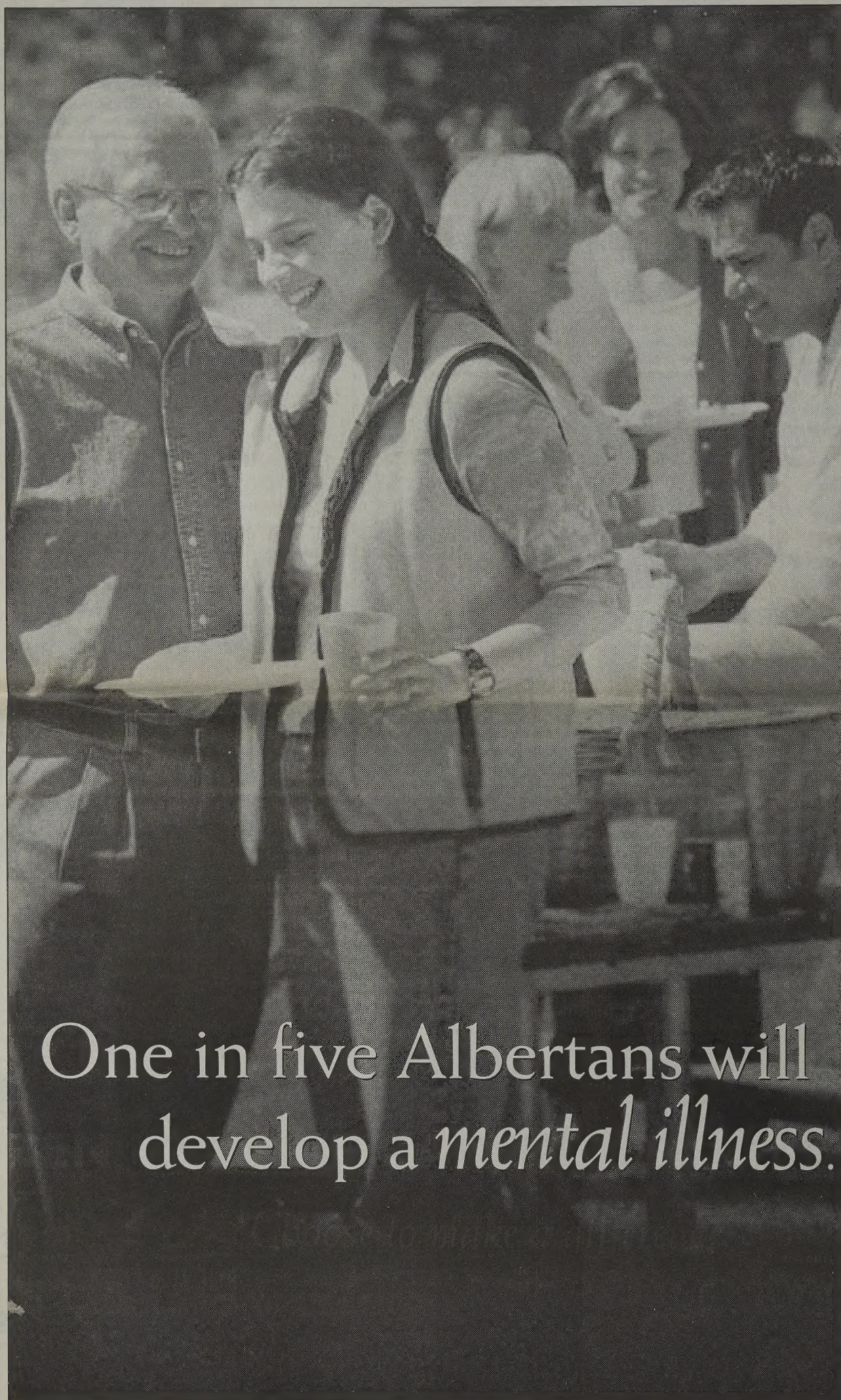
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One in five Albertans will  
develop a *mental illness*.

Mental illness strikes more Albertans than either breast cancer, diabetes or Alzheimer's disease. Like other conditions, mental illness can bring fear or anxiety about being sick.

But unlike other conditions, mental illness also comes with a sense of shame and silence. Of feeling responsible for getting sick. Or even deserving the illness. In fact, the stigma of mental illness is what prevents many people from seeking help.

#### **WHO IS AFFECTED BY MENTAL ILLNESS?**

About one in five Albertans will develop a mental illness during their lifetime. The other four in five may be faced with mental illness in a friend, co-worker or loved one. In this sense all of us will be affected by mental illness in one way or another.

*The unique feature  
of mental illness is that  
people who develop it  
may be the last to know.*

#### **WHAT IS MENTAL ILLNESS?**

Mental illness includes a wide range of illnesses that can affect emotional health, relationships and self-esteem. Examples include depression, anxiety disorders, schizophrenia and bipolar disorders.

**FOUR IN**



### RECOGNIZING MENTAL ILLNESS IN OTHERS

Mental illness usually starts slowly, with gradual changes in behaviour or personality. It doesn't suddenly appear out of the blue, like a person "snapping" one day. A person who used to function well, but is now having frequent problems coping with everyday life, may have a mental illness.

The unique feature of mental illness is that people who develop it may be the last to know! That's because the illness affects part of their brain, so they may not realize they're behaving differently. It's usually friends, family or co-workers who notice the changes.

That's why it's so important to speak up if you see troubling changes in someone you know. "I've been concerned about you lately," is a good way to open the discussion. It's best to raise the topic in a gentle, non-judgmental way.

### COMMON SIGNS AND SYMPTOMS

The most common sign of mental illness is changes in an individual's behaviour patterns. Following are other common symptoms that may occur alone or as a group of symptoms.

- **Sleeping more (or less)**
- **Feeling tired or overwhelmed**
- **Frequent fears or worries**
- **Panic or anxiety attacks**
- **Feeling restless or agitated**
- **Feeling hopeless or worthless**
- **Feeling overly sensitive**
- **Unexplained changes in appetite or weight**
- **Loss of pleasure in ordinary activities**
- **Increased use of drugs, alcohol or medications**
- **Frequent angry outbursts**
- **Excessive crying**
- **Increased or decreased sexual drive**
- **Racing thoughts or rapid speech**
- **Thoughts of death or suicide**
- **False beliefs**
- **Hearing or seeing things that aren't there**

### HOW CAN I SUPPORT SOMEONE ONE WHO HAS A MENTAL ILLNESS?

People with mental illness may feel hopeless – as if they'll never recover or feel "normal" again. Many have reduced control over their emotions when they're ill. They may feel sad, anxious, overwhelmed, or just plain lousy – even if life around them is fine.

It's unrealistic to expect people with mental illness to just "shape up" and start feeling better on their own. Most will need treatment – whether that's counselling, lifestyle changes or medication – to restore the complex balance of brain chemicals, hormones and thought patterns. Once this balance is achieved, the person may return to more usual behaviour patterns.

*People with mental illness may feel sad, anxious, overwhelmed, or just plain lousy – even if life around them is fine.*

Here are some things you can do to support a friend, co-worker or loved one who develops mental illness:

- **Don't judge or blame.** People with mental illness aren't to blame for the chemical imbalance, trauma or genes that may be causing their illness. Loved ones need to hear, "You didn't ask for this illness."
- **Be a source of hope.** The emotional roller coaster that comes with mental illness can leave people feeling they'll never get better. Saying, "You will get past this" shows your support and hope.
- **Help cope with negative feelings.** Stigma from others can cause people with mental illness to feel overwhelmed with negative, hateful thoughts about themselves. "You're an ill person trying to get well – not a bad person trying to be good," is one of the most important things you can say.

- **Avoid the silent treatment.** Mental illness isn't something to be ashamed of, so don't treat it that way. Try asking direct questions, like "Tell me what I can do to make this better for you."
- **Celebrate successes.** Sometimes it's hard for ill people to see the positive steps they're taking. Be a positive influence and celebrate the small successes along the way. "You've come a long way. You are getting better," can be encouraging.
- **Be patient.** Like other conditions, mental illness needs time, patience and compassion. Don't expect miracles or quick fixes. "I'm with you. We'll work through this together," are important words to hear.
- **Inspire and believe.** People with mental illness often feel they have to "prove" themselves all over again. This continual test of their self-worth can be exhausting and destructive. "You don't have to measure up to be valuable – you're a gift," are words of inspiration.
- **Don't use the illness as a crutch.** Mental illness should never be used to avoid taking responsibility for things. Encourage loved ones to stick to their treatment plan and take charge of their health. Motivate by saying, "This illness can be treated, and you can make it happen."
- **Set a good example.** Choose to manage your own mental health, and wear your good health like a badge of honor. "I'll help you live with your illness," are important words to hear.
- **Don't burn out.** If you're supporting someone who has mental illness, be sure to take care of yourself, too. Take breaks when you need them, and don't be afraid to ask for help. "I need to recharge – can you help out for a while?"

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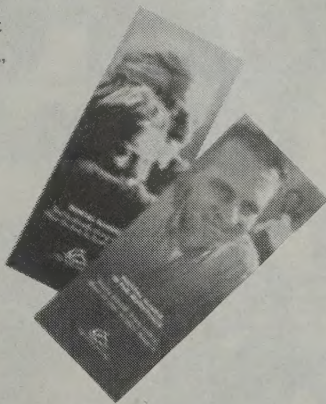
There are many places in Alberta to talk to someone about your mental health problems. Here are just a few:

- **Family physicians**
- **Psychiatrists (doctor's referral usually needed)**
- **More than 70 free mental health clinics operated by the Alberta Mental Health Board**
- **Health professionals such as psychologists, family counselors, nurses and social workers**
- **Community mental health organizations such as the Canadian Mental Health Association and the Schizophrenia Society of Alberta**
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# fire prevention WEEK

## Busy year for the Elk Point Volunteer Fire Department

Elk Point Volunteer Fire Department currently has 25 firefighters on their roster. Members of this dedicated group have been called out a total of 64 times since the end of November, 2000, twice for training courses, 16 times to man the rescue van, mostly for motor vehicle accidents. 18 times for in-town calls which included two house fires, and 28 times for rural calls. Among the worst of these were the

huge brush and grass fire in the Armistice valley on May 5 and a barn fire south of Elk Point a few weeks later.

Elk Point's fire hall has a whole new look these days. A large addition stretches the entire length of the east side, providing both a training room, with tables, audiovisual equipment and whiteboard needed for training courses, and room to house the rescue van. The area used for the rescue van also

can be used to practice vehicle extrication, which allows this training to take place at any time of the year and without taking up space in their parking lot for the demolished vehicles.

Teaching young people

about fire prevention and the work of the firemen is part of the service the fire department provides to Elk Point and district. Earlier this year, representatives of the fire department visited Elk Point Elementary

School along with personnel from the RCMP, ambulance and STARS to talk about emergency services, and during Career Day at F. G. Miller High School, fireman Lyle Frisby "got a lot of good questions" from students

during his sessions. "It was phenomenal."

During Fire Prevention Week, the department hopes to visit the Elementary School to distribute brochures and information on fire prevention to the students.



ELK POINT VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT includes these members who were on hand for the October 1 weekly fire practice: back row, left to right - Dan Cazabon, Nigel LaFrance, Dean Rogal, Pat Demers, Jon Kadutski, Duane Porcina, Claude St. Jean, Jonny Nielsen, Jason Fisher; front, left to right: Fire Chief Ken Palamarek, Lyle Frisby.

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Replace damaged electrical cords and repair appliances that smell, smoke or overheat.

Be safe at home plate by installing and testing smoke alarms.

Install smoke alarms on every floor of your home and outside all bedrooms. Test them once a month and replace batteries at least once a year.

Practice a home fire drill twice a year!

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For more information, call your local fire department or the Fire Commissioner's Office at (780) 427-8392 (toll-free 310-0000). Or visit our website at: <http://www3.gov.ab.ca/malfco/>



## Stop Fires BEFORE They Start

- Don't overload outlets.
- Keep cooking area clear of flammables.
- Store combustibles safely.
- Use a spark screen in the fireplace.

For more helpful fire prevention hints, visit your local fire hall.

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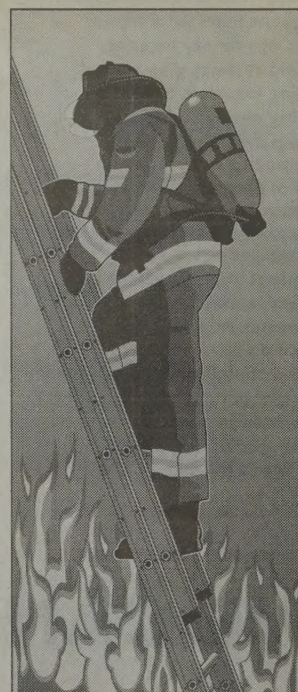
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# fire prevention WEEK

## First Base: kitchen fire safety

Most home fires in Alberta start in the kitchen and these fires are the number one cause of home fire injuries. That's why fire prevention and safety in the kitchen is the first base that must be covered to strike out fire. The pie chart below shows the common causes of kitchen fires. Stove related fires are the most common, and usually start in pans or pots being heated. More than half the stove-top fires involved the ignition of cooking oil used for frying foods.

During the five-year period, 1996-2000, there were a total of 2,143 kitchen fires in Alberta homes. These fires claimed 23 lives, injured 365 people and caused \$32 million in property damage. Most fire injuries happen in kitchens.

### Cook with Care

\* Unattended cooking is the number one cause of home fires in North America. Never leave cooking unattended.

\* Keep cooking areas clean and clear of combustibles such as potholders, towels, paper and food packaging.

\* If interrupted while cooking, turn off the burner and move the pot or pan to a cold burner before attending to the interruption (telephone, crying baby, visit to the bathroom).

\* In Alberta, the majority of cooking related fires result from overheated cooking oil. The best way to fry foods is to use a temperature controlled deep-fat-fryer or skillet which is designed for a maximum temperature of 200°C. These appliances prevent overheating and ignition of cooking oil.

\* In case of a cooking oil fire, do not move the

pot or pan, or throw water on the flames. Simply slide a tight fitting lid over the pot or pan to smother the flames and turn off the heat and exhaust fan.

\* If water is added to a flaming pot of oil with a temperature of above 200°C, it turns the water into superheated steam, which causes an explosive ball of fire spreading tiny droplets of flaming oil to engulf the kitchen area. In addition to a house fire, burn injury and even death is possible in these incidents. Never discharge a fire extinguisher onto a pan fire, as it can spray or shoot burning oil around the kitchen, actually spreading the fire.

\* In case of an oven fire, turn off the heat and keep the door closed to prevent flames from burning you and your clothing. Call the local fire department for assistance.

\* Avoid cooking while fatigued or impaired by alcohol or medication.

\* Turn pot handles toward back of stove.

\* Never wear loose sleeves or clothing

while cooking, a hot stove burner can ignite loose clothing.

\* Always set a kitchen timer as a reminder to turn off burners and oven.

\* Create a safe zone. Keep children at a safe distance from all hot items by using playpens, high chairs, etc.

\* Never sit children on kitchen counter-tops.

\* Serious scald burns

usually result from hot liquids or hot cooking oil at home. If you or someone else is burned, cool the skin area immediately in cool running water.

\* The risk of fire death is high for the elderly. This is especially so for seniors with disabilities and/or lack of physical coordination. Seniors should exercise caution while cooking.



NEW EQUIPMENT - Fire Chief Ken Palamarek and Jason Fisher check out a portable oxygen unit recently donated by one of the oil companies.

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# agriculture and food WEEK

## Food safety a growing focus on this family farm

You might think that a hog and poultry farm is where breakfast begins, but on a two-generation family farm just southeast of Elk Point, you'd only be half right. Your bacon may well originate in the barns of Dirk, Doris, Christoph and Jacqueline Ludlage, but their eggs are aimed at a market which might provide

your dinner.

Dirk and Doris Ludlage raises hatching eggs for the broiler/breeder market. The eggs are shipped to Lilydale in Edmonton where they are hatched and sold as day-old chicks to farms which raise the broiler chickens which are served in restaurants and sold in grocery stores.

Doris says her flock

of 8000 is "not many — some have 30,000," and adds that raising hens for egg production is "a lot of work." The flock's computerized feeding system, lighting system and water program are all coordinated with the age and weight of the chickens, and "it's quite complicated to raise a productive hen." Husband Dirk adds that the amount of feed the birds receive is determined by the findings of a computerized weighing system which weighs some of the birds each day. "They jump on a little platform and their weights are recorded. There is a narrow window of productive weight," and feed levels are adjusted to keep the birds at the optimum weight.

The birds arrive at the Ludlage farm as day-old chicks, and are carefully tended until they start laying at the age of 24 weeks. At 60 weeks of age, when the hens are past their egg production peak, "there is a lot of meat on those birds." The hefty eight-pound hens



**START COUNTING!** It might take a while, because there are 8000 hens and a number of very busy roosters in the Ludlage poultry barn, all involved in the production of hatching eggs for the broiler/breeder market.

are shipped to Lilydale for processing into such products as chicken strips. After the hens are shipped, "we have six weeks to clean out the barns and get ready for another 8000 day-old chicks to arrive" as the cycle begins all over again.

Demonstrating the automated collection

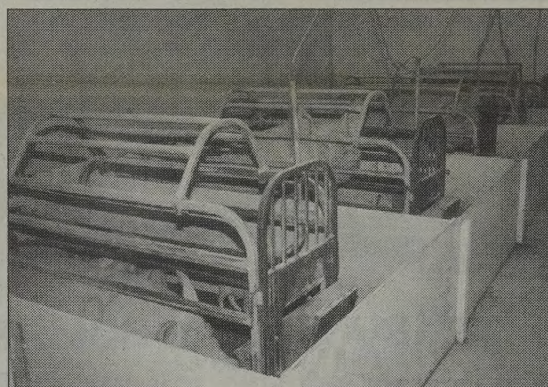
system which brings a procession of eggs via conveyor belt to the room where they are packed into flats of 84 and then into crates for shipping, Doris says these hens "are not like Leghorns, which lay for two years. Their production drops off after 60 weeks, and it's not feasible to keep them."

Another difference

from raising eggs for consumption is that these hens run loose in their long barn, hopping up into the row of nests to lay their eggs, rather than being confined to cages. Doris closes the lids on each bank of nests manually when the hens have finished laying for the day, as she checks the well-being of her flock. Once the birds have gone to their roosts for the night, she turns a wheel lifting the lids ready for early-morning layers.

Just across the yard, son Christoph Ludlage keeps a watchful eye on the 150-plus sows in the family's farrow-to-finish operation, with the assistance of his wife Jacqueline. This is also a labor-intensive operation, from clipping the sharp incisor teeth on

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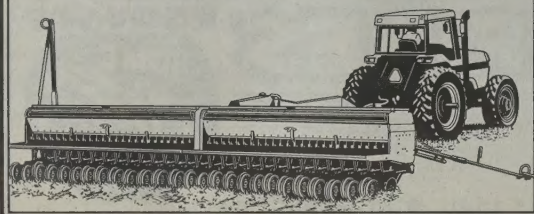
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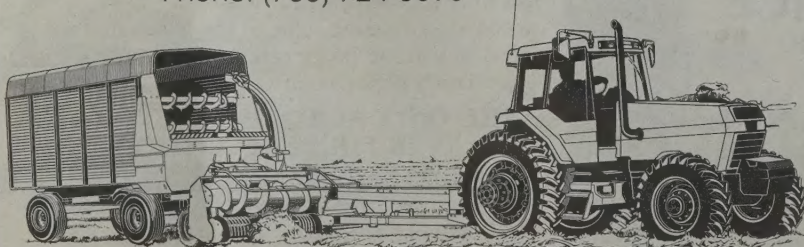
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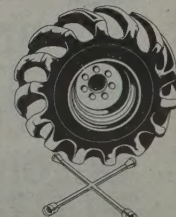
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# agriculture and food WEEK

## Lakeland College managing Green Certificate program

Green Certificate's northeast and north-west regions are under new management.

Lakeland College's School of Agricultural Sciences has taken over management of these two regions of the Green Certificate Program from Alberta Agriculture, Food and Rural Development. Fairview College, Olds College and Lethbridge Community College also manage regional

Green Certificate programs for the provincial government.

While it's a new role for Lakeland, staff members are very familiar with Green Certificate. The college's Vermilion campus has been the provincial test site for years.

"This is a great opportunity for Lakeland College," said Carole Dobson, Dean of the School of

Agricultural Sciences. "Managing Green Certificate under the college banner carries additional exposure for Lakeland directly into the rural classroom."

Walter Scott, area coordinator of Green Certificate, continues to lead the program as the Green Certificate Service Representative at Lakeland College.

Green Certificate training is an approved complementary pro-

gram of studies available to all Alberta high schools, explained Scott. It is a practical and hands-on training program which enables participants to earn a certificate of competence in farming skills. There is technician training in cow-calf, field crop, dairy, feedlot beef, irrigated crop, sheep and swine.

To be eligible for the training, students must be at least 15

years old and train on a farm which is a viable operation with appropriate modern equipment and facilities.

"The area now managed by Lakeland College has 250 participants, the highest number of any region

in the province," said Scott. "It's been very well received in northern Alberta and I'm sure it will continue to grow as more and more people realize the value of this applied, hands-on training."

## Ludlages advocate On Farm Food Safety

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newborn piglets to thoroughly cleaning each farrowing pen and feeder pen as its occupants move on to the next stage of the operation. Each sow raises an average of 2.2 litters per year, with an average of 10.2 piglets per litter.

Meanwhile, Dirk Ludlage is out on the tractor these fall days, finishing up the field work. Farming 1000 acres of land, he raises feed for both the hog and poultry operations, with Christoph joining in between hog-tending chores. Feed is processed on the farm, adding supplements they haul from a feed mill in Edmonton. Dirk also raises canola as a cash crop.

The two generations work well together on the farm they have owned for the past 25 years, raising poultry

for 21 years and hogs since 1984. "Everyone has their own priorities," Doris says, "but we do it all in the family. We're really, really proud of it, and it works well." In earlier days of the operation, when Christoph and his sisters, Elisabeth, a veterinarian currently working in New Zealand, and Katarina, a senior manager at Nortel in Calgary, were young, "we could never go on holidays." Now Christoph and his wife are quite capable of running the whole operation while Doris and Dirk take a well-deserved break, and vice-versa. "We never do it in peak times, but the rest of the year, we help each other out."

One priority of both generations is their growing involvement in the On Farm Food Safety (OFFS) program, aimed at producing

food in the safest manner possible and reducing the risk of e.coli and salmonella contamination. "It's a very intense program to ensure the public that the food we grow is safe to eat," Doris says. Guidelines are individually put together for each kind of livestock. Making sure there is no residue of medication left in meat or eggs, cleanliness and security are important parts of the program.

No medication can be given to pigs in the finishing barns, and they are not allowed to use strong medication in their egg production. "We are already worried about the embryo - it's a real concern in our industry."

As for security, "no outsiders can go in our barns if they have been in other chicken or hog barns," Doris noted. Even if they haven't,

they can't visit the farm without an appointment or go in the barns without wearing properly disinfected boots. Incoming supplement is hauled in their own truck so "nobody else comes on the farm." Trucks picking up the eggs, hens and finished pigs "have to be clean, but they still don't come in the yard. We load in the driveway." The precautions are working, she says. "We have very healthy livestock here."

The Ludlages were Farm Family Award winners in 1994.



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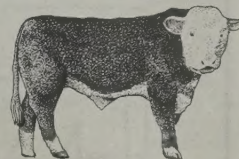
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By Daphne Schnurer  
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## NEARTA meets

By Lily McCool  
NE Alberta Retired Teachers Assn.

The North East Alberta Retired Teachers' Association held their fall quarterly meeting on Tuesday, September 18 at the Elk Point Seniors' Centre. Thirty-four members (retired teachers and spouses) from surrounding areas attended the 11 a.m. business meeting and enjoyed a noon lunch followed by a humorous after-dinner speech by Glendon motivational speaker Mary Harris. It was an enjoyable gathering for socializing with former colleagues and for receiving updates on business conducted by the provincial organization, the Alberta Retired Teachers' Association. The next meeting is scheduled for 11 a.m. on Tuesday, December 4 at the St. Edouard Renewal Centre. All retired teachers from northeastern Alberta, from Cold Lake to Lac La Biche, Heinsburg to Two Hills and all points in between are invited to attend. For further information, phone president Olga Ockerman at 724-2353.

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**Elk Point Parent Nursery** - Every Wednesday, 10 a.m. to Noon, Elk Point United Church Hall. Children under 6 and parents welcome. For more info, call Lynda Letwin, 724-0004 or Lynn Berg, 724-3442.

**Al-Anon Family Group Meeting**, Room 605, Elk Point Municipal Hospital, Wednesday evening at 8:30 p.m.

**Alcoholics Anonymous** meeting, Wednesday at 8:30 p.m., Room 604, Elk Point Hospital.

**T.O.P.S.** meets every Wednesday, 5:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m., FCSS Office, Elk Point.

**"New To Town"** FCSS would like to welcome and familiarize new families with the services and programs available in town. Welcome packages contain a community directory, volunteer directory, coupons, maps and more! Call 724-3800 for more information or drop by 4902 - 51 Street.

**Recycle Your Paper** - Paper trailer is located at the west side of the bottle depot on Railway Ave.. We take newspapers, flyers, computer and bond paper. No milk or egg cartons, phone books or glossy magazines. Please sort and bundle with string or put in cardboard boxes.

**Elk Point Public Library** - SUMMER HOURS: Mon., Tues., Thurs. & Fri, 9 a.m. - 5 p.m., Wed., noon - 8 p.m. Photocopies. Extended library services and reliable information sources. Public meeting space available to non-profit organizations at no charge. Please call the Elk Point Library for booking at 724-3737.

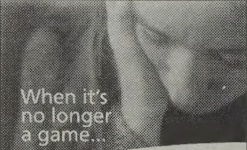
**The Elk Point Legion** now meets on the 2nd Tues. of each month at 7:30 p.m. in the Seniors' Centre.

**Elk Point Auto Club** - meets at the Empress Restaurant, Elk Point, the 2nd Wednesday of each month. More information call: Ed Smith at 724-2527.

**Elk Point & Area "Stop Family Violence" Support Group** - meetings are held 2 times a month. For more information call 724-2380, 724-3800 or 645-1950

**Adoption/ Foster Support Krew** - meets every second Thursday. For more info call Judi at 724-2118.

Many Albertans gamble as a form of recreation. For a small minority, however, gambling becomes a problem. If you or someone you know is experiencing personal, social or financial problems as a result of their gambling, confidential help is available. Call 1-800-665-9676.



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### 1 AUCTION

**UNRESERVED ANTIQUE AUCTION!** Large clock collection, rare lamps, vintage toys and furniture, Sunday, October 21, 10 a.m., Bassano. Lloyd's Auction phone/fax 403-854-2481. Listing, pictures: [www.lloyds-auction.com/](http://www.lloyds-auction.com/).

**UNRESERVED AUCTION,** October 22, 2001, 9320 - 52 St. S.E., Calgary, Alberta. Partial Listing: Cat D5H LGP, 2000 Pete 379 long hood, (6) 1998 Case IH8590 balers, 2001 Loadline Wagon, etc. For information/brochure call CPA - Canadian Public Auction Ltd., 403-269-6600 or visit homepage: [www.canadianpublicauction.com](http://www.canadianpublicauction.com).

**BODY SHOP EQUIPMENT** Auction D & L Autobody, 4630 - 47 St., Hardisty, Alberta, Saturday, October 27 at 10 a.m. 1993 Dodge Ram 250 Club Cab w/Cummins engine, 1985 Dodge Ram 250 customized passenger van, 1993 Pontiac Grand AM, 1991 Chev Lumina, 1996 T/A car trailer, Binks X/Flow Paint Booth, makeup air unit, body shop tools and equipment, frame equipment, A/C equipment, sandblasting pots, portable and stationary compressors, office equipment, stock, salvage and misc. Pictures of main equipment on website: [www.montgomeryauctions.com](http://www.montgomeryauctions.com). Montgomery Auction Services Ltd., Blackfalds, Alberta, 403-885-5149.

**K&K AUCTIONS** Large Antique Collectible Auction, Oct. 14/01, 9:30 a.m., Camrose Regional Exhibition, Eastside of Camrose on Highway 13. Featuring excellent line of coins, paper money, furniture, glassware, old toys, original cast iron toys. For more information or flyer, contact Doug 780-375-2376. No Buyers. Premium Corporate rates at Marada Inn Motel.

**ACREAGE AUCTION,** Saturday, October 13, 10 a.m., East of Olds Overpass, Hwy. 27 to RR28-03, South 4 miles. Melrose bobcat, lawn tractors, shop equipment, household. Pilgrim Auction, 403-556-8555.

**INDUSTRIAL BUILDING** and Equipment Auction on behalf of Melfort International Ltd., Thursday, October 25, located - 1560 Highway 6 South Melfort, SK. Featuring: 20 year old, 27, 160 sq. ft. industrial building on 8 acres in City of Melfort, two Canco 5 ton overhead cranes, commercial electrified 35 ft. sign, and more! For more information call Hodgins 1-800-667-2075! PL915407.

### 2 AUTO

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**THE WEYERHAEUSER** Drayton Valley Oriented Strand Board Mill is now accepting applications for a journeyman gasfitter 1st Class. Reporting to a maintenance Team Manager you will provide maintenance support by completing a broad range of maintenance and improvement work throughout the mill, including natural gas and fire sprinkler systems. The ideal candidate will possess the following skills: Journeyman gasfitter 1st Class; good mechanical aptitude, high initiative; excellent interpersonal and communication skills; willingness to work shift and overtime; experience in fire systems and piping fabrication would be an asset. Wages and benefits are in accordance with the Collective Agreement. If you are interested, please submit your resume and covering letter quoting competition #2001/10 to: Human Resources, Weyerhaeuser Canada, Drayton Valley OSB, Box 7739, Drayton Valley, AB, T7A 1S8. Fax 780-621-5538. Closing date is Nov. 2, 2001. We thank all individuals for applying, but we will only be contacting candidates selected for an interview.

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### 6 EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

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**CARETAKERS REQUIRED** November 1, 2001, Salt Spring Island. Owners live on 6-acre waterfront property and will supply free accommodation in private residence together with monthly allowance, calevision and hydro. A couple in their late 50's early 60's who enjoy gardening, grounds maintenance and their own privacy would be interested. Please reply to: Norm and Diane Elliott, c/o Brenda Burdon, #103 - 7088 Venture St., Delta, BC, V4G 1H5. Fax 604-946-7947.

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### 6 EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

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**SMOKY RIVER EXPRESS** has immediate opening for reporter/photographer. Contact Kevin Laliberte, Editor, phone 780-837-2585. Fax 780-837-2102.

Email: [general@smokyriverexpress.com](mailto:general@smokyriverexpress.com). Box 644, Falher, Alberta, T0H 1M0.

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### 6 EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

**GENERAL FOREMAN** for 10 - 15 employees. Industrial oilfield shop specializing in pipe insulation, metal buildings, sheet metal work. Must be certified journeyman sheet metal worker, with 8 years experience. We require: Resume, 3 work related references, safety courses, driver's abstract and willingness to work overtime. We offer: Accommodations, living allowance subsidy, relocation assistance and benefit package, \$22. - \$25./hour. Fax resume to: Slave Lake, Alberta 780-849-3425, for more information see [www.amandametal.com](http://www.amandametal.com). Also looking for certified journeyman pipe insulators.

**LICENSED TECHNICIANS** required for progressive Ford dealer. Excellent working condition/benefits. Reply to: Service Manager, Box 1888, Cold Lake, AB, T9M 1P4 or fax 780-594-3123.

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**SHOP FOREMAN/leadhand** required for growing parts/service outlet in West Central Alberta. Extensive experience in service/repair of heavy duty trucks/trailers. Ability to: Coordinate people, work in timely manner, communication skills, good work ethic. Valid drivers licence Class 5 minimum. Excellent wages/benefits. Willing to relocate. Fax resume to 1-403-638-2322.

**HEAVY DUTY MECHANICS** and journeymen welders required for oilfield service rig manufacturing plant. Competitive wages, full benefits and pension plan. Fax resume to: 780-456-6581.

**TIRE SERVICE PERSONNEL** required. Truck and farm service experience an asset. Career development and rewarding opportunities. Compensation negotiable. Send resume to: OK Tire, Box 1165, Rocky Mountain House, AB, T4T 1A8. Fax 403-844-9322. Phone 403-844-8473.

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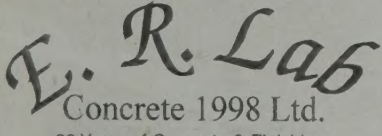
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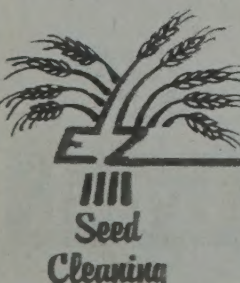
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## NOTICE OF HEARING

The Town of Elk Point has made an application requesting annexation of approximately 230 acres of land from the County of St. Paul. This land is located south of the present Town boundary, west of Highway 41 and north of Secondary Road 646.

The purpose of the proposed annexation is to provide suitable and serviceable land for future residential, industrial and highway commercial land uses.

The County of St. Paul supports the proposed annexation, however one of the landowners, Agricore, objects to annexation of its land. The other landowners involved are not opposed to annexation but have concerns about property assessment and taxation after annexation occurs.

As a result of the objections and concerns, the Municipal Government Board will conduct a public hearing into the matter as follows:

DATE: Wednesday, October 24, 2001  
TIME: 1:00 p.m.  
PLACE: Town of Elk Point Council Chambers

Maps and details of the proposal may be viewed at the Town office.

Other inquiries may be made to the Secretariat Group of the Municipal Government Board at the address below:

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10155 - 102 Street  
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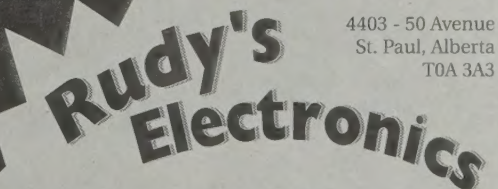
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